Introduced by Senator Lieu

February 21, 2014

An act to amend Section 8601 of the Elections Code, relating to elections.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 1272, as introduced, Lieu. Elections: write-in candidates.

Existing law provides procedures relating to the nomination of write-in candidates. Existing law requires that statement and nomination papers be available on the 57th day prior to the election for which a candidate is filing as a write-in candidate and requires that those papers be delivered to the elections official no later than the 14th day prior to the election.

This bill would make a nonsubstantive change to these provisions.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 8601 of the Elections Code is amended to read:
- 3 8601. The statement and nomination papers shall be available
- 4 on the 57th day prior to the election for which the candidate is
- 5 filing as a write-in candidate, and shall be delivered to the elections
- 6 official *who is* responsible for the conduct of the election no later
- 7 than the 14th day prior to the election.